

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Title : Cytokine Polypeptides and Antibodies Containing A Signal
Sequence for the Attachment of
Glycosylphosphatidylinositol

REPLY

Mail Stop AMENDMENT
Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in response to the non-final Office Action dated June 2, 2008. An THREE month extension of the deadline for response to the Office Action is respectfully requested pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) and the appropriate fee is submitted herewith.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. No additional claims fees are due.

Remarks begin on page 3 of this paper.